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PART I. SIGNIFICANT PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS

B. NEW TARGETS AND SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

ITM01:THREE ALT VEHICLE FORDS U/C SGM:1105 CTY:LA 144200N1070700E

DES:THREE ALTERNATE VEHICLE FORDS ARE UNDER CONSTRUCTION ALONG
ROUTE 110.

1. AN ALTERNATE VEHICLE FORD IN INITIAL STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION IS

LOCATED ON ROUTE 110 AT 1442N 10707E (UTM YB291264) THROUGH THE HOUAY THANKHAN (STREAM).

2. AN ALTERNATE FORD IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION AROUND THE ROUTE 110 FORD THROUGH THE HOUAY TEOLONG (STREAM) AT 1439N 10648E. A CLEARING OPERATION EXTENDS FROM ROUTE 110 AT XB945213 WEST TO XB942214 WHERE INITIAL GRADING IS VISIBLE ON BOTH BANKS OF THE STREAM.

3. AN ALTERNATE VEHICLE FORD IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION THROUGH AN UNNAMED STREAM ON ROUTE 110 AT 1443N 10658E. ROAD CONSTRUCTION IS IN MIDSTAGES CONNECTING THE FORD WITH ROUTE 110 AT YB133291 AND YB134291.

ITEM 02: FIVE TRK PARKS RT 110 (NEW) SGM:110C CTY:LA 14430N 107170E

DES: FIVE NEWLY OBSERVED TRUCK PARKS ARE LOCATED ON ROUTE 110.

1. A NEW TRUCK PARK IS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ROUTE 110 AT 1443N 10717E. VEHICLE TRACKS EXTEND FROM THE ROAD AT YB462282 NORTH FOR APPROXIMATELY 400 YARDS. FROM THIS POINT A TRAIL CONTINUES INTO DENSE TREE CANOPY.

2. A NEWLY OBSERVED TRUCK PARK IS SOUTHWEST OF ROUTE 110 AT 1443N 10715E. VEHICLE TRACKS EXTEND FROM THE ROAD AT YB433293 SOUTHWEST TO YB430289. DENSE TREE CANOPY PRECLUDES MORE DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

3. A NEWLY OBSERVED RECTANGULAR TRUCK PARK IS ON THE NORTHEAST

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SIDE OF ROUTE 110 AT 1444N 10715E (YB426300).

4. A NEW TRUCK PARK, IS OBSERVED ON THE LAOS/CAMBODIAN BORDER AT 1435N 10633E. VEHICLE TRACKS EXTEND SOUTHWARD FOR 150 YARDS FROM ROUTE 110 AT XB670129 AND XB673131 AND PROBABLY JOIN TO FORM A LOOP. THIS AREA IS OBSERVED THROUGH MEDIUM TREE CANOPY. NO ASSOCIATED FACILITIES ARE DISCERNIBLE.

5. A NEWLY OBSERVED TRUCK PARK IS LOCATED SOUTH OF ROUTE 110 AT 1435N 10638E (XB751140) AND CONSISTS OF A SMALL LOOP ROAD UNDER MEDIUM TREE CANOPY.

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ITEM 03:REALIGNMENT CONST RT 110 NEW SGM:110A CTY:LA 143700N106410E
DES:INITIAL REALIGNMENT CONSTRUCTION IS OBSERVED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ROUTE 110 AT 1437N 10641E. THE CONSTRUCTION, CONNECTING WITH ROUTE 110 AT XB814179 AND XB819181, WILL BY-PASS A SERVICEABLE SEGMENT OF ROUTE 110.

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ITEM 04:SIX BY-PASS ROADS U/C SGM:110A CTY:LA 143800N106430E
DES:SIX BY-PASS ROADS UNDER CONSTRUCTION ARE OBSERVED ALONG ROUTE 110.

1. CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES ON THE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED BY-PASS AT

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1438N 10643E (REF A). CONSTRUCTION NOW EXTENDS FROM ROUTE 110 AT XB835183 (AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED) TO THE NEW RIVER CROSSING AT XB870195, WITH CONSTRUCTION COMPLETED ON THE OPPOSITE APPROACH. AN ADDITIONAL FORD IS BEING CONSTRUCTED AT XB866194.

2. A ROAD IN EARLY STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION BY-PASSES ROUTE 110 FORD THROUGH AN UNNAMED STREAM AT 1436N 10638E. CONSTRUCTION EXTENDS FROM ROUTE 110 AT XB768155, CROSSING THE STREAM AT XB770156, AND REJOINING ROUTE 110 AT XB771158.

3. A NEW BY-PASS IS OBSERVED UNDER CONSTRUCTION AROUND THE ROUTE 110 FORD THROUGH THE HOUAY KHOU (STREAM) AT 1443N 10657E. A CLEARING OPERATION WITH INTERMITTENT GRADING EXTENDS FROM ROUTE 110 AT YB098285 NNE TO YB100291, WHERE A FORD IS IN INITIAL STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION.

4. BY-PASS CONSTRUCTION IS OBSERVED AROUND A ROUTE 110 SWITCHBACK AT 1443N 10704E. CONSTRUCTION IS IN INITIAL TO MIDSTAGES EXTENDING NORTHWEST BETWEEN YB220281 AND YB227287.

5. A NEWLY OBSERVED BY-PASS ROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION IS LOCATED SOUTH OF ROUTE 110 AT 1443N 10714E. THE BY-PASS, IN INITIAL STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION, PARTIALLY TRAVERSES A RIDGE LINE AND, WHEN COMPLETED, WILL JOIN ROUTE 110 AT YB415299 AND YB413293.

6. CONSTRUCTION HAS CONTINUED AND MAY BE COMPLETED ON THE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED BY-PASS AT 1442N 10710E WHICH JOINS ROUTE 110 AT YB342266 AND YB350268.

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ITEM 05: PROB MILITARY SUPPORT FAC SGM:113A CTY:LA 143800N106410E

DES: A PROBABLE MILITARY SUPPORT FACILITY IS LOCATED NORTH OF ROUTE 113 AT 1438N 10641E (XB527193). AN UNNAMED VILLAGE ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE NAM KONG (RIVER) APPEARS TO BE PARTIALLY MAINTAINED. FOUR ACTIVE HUTS ARE CONNECTED TO ROUTE 113 BY FOOT TRAILS.

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ITEM 06: PROB STORAGE/SUPPORT FAC (NEW) SGM:114B CTY:LA 144200N107070E

DES: A NEWLY OBSERVED STORAGE/SUPPORT FACILITY IS LOCATED NORTH OF ROUTE 110 AT 1442N 10707E (YB292267) AND CONSISTS OF AT LEAST 5 PARTIALLY CONCEALED BUILDINGS ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE DAK XOU (RIVER).

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ITEM 07: RECONSTRUCTION OF ROUTE 16 SGM:15M CTY:LA 144200N107110E

DES: ROUTE 16 IS BEING RECONSTRUCTED NORTH FROM ROUTE 110 AT 1442N 10711E. A CLEARING OPERATION EXTENDS FROM A POINT AT YB359274 (200 YARDS FROM ROUTE 110) TO THE SOUTH BANK OF THE DAK XOU (RIVER) AT YB355276. RECLEARING AND TRAIL WIDENING ARE UNDERWAY FROM 1443N 10710E (YB343280), GENERALLY NORTHWEST

25X1 FOLLOWING THE ALIGNMENT OF ROUTE 16 TO 1445N 10709E (YB322317).

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ITEM 08: STORAGE/SUPPORT FACILITY (NEW) SGM:96E CTY:LA 144400N107170E
DES: A STORAGE/SUPPORT FACILITY IS OBSERVED EAST OF ROUTE 96 AT
1444N 10717E. EXTENSIVE ROW CROPPING IS ON THE SOUTH BANK OF THE
DAK XOU (RIVER) AT YB474312. NUMEROUS TRAILS AND CLEARED AREAS
EXTEND TO APPROXIMATELY 1.5 NM SOUTH OF THE RIVER, AND AT LEAST 5
DISPERSED BUILDINGS ARE LOCATED IN THE VICINITY OF YB473304.

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ITEM 09: REALIGNMENT CONSTRUCTION SGM:110A CTY:LA 143900N106470E
DES: REALIGNMENT CONSTRUCTION IS UNDERWAY ON THE NORTH SIDE OF
ROUTE 110 AT 1439N 10647E. A CLEARING OPERATION JOINS ROUTE 110
AT XB931209 AND XB935208.

ITEM 10: PROBABLE MILITARY BASE AREA SGM:110B CTY:LA 144200N107030E
DES: THE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED PROBABLE MILITARY BASE AREA SOUTH OF
ROUTE 110 AT 1442N 10703E HAS BEEN EXPANDED. THE VEHICLE TRACKS
WITHIN THE AREA ARE MORE EXTENSIVE AND A THIRD JUNCTION WITH

ROUTE 110 IS LOCATED AT YB212273. A TRUCK PARK IS NEWLY OBSERVED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ROUTE 110 AT YB210278.

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ITEM 11: PROB BIVOUAC/SPT AREA (NEW) SGM:110A CTY:LA 143700N 106400E
DES: A NEWLY OBSERVED PROBABLE BIVOUAC AND SUPPORT AREA IS ON ROUTE 110 AT 1437N 10640E. A TRAIL EXTENDS NORTHWARD FROM THE ROAD AT XB799167 AND SERVES 4 ACTIVELY USED HUTS AT XB798168, THEN CONTINUES NORTH TO A LARGE PROBABLE BIVOUAC AREA AT XB797172. A PROBABLE TRUCK PARK ACROSS ROUTE 110 CONSISTS OF AN ACCESS ROAD EXTENDING FROM ROUTE 110 AT XB799167 SOUTHEAST FOR AT LEAST 200 YARDS.

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ITEM 12: MIL SPT FACILITY (NEW) SGM:110A CTY:LA 143700N 106430E
DES: A MILITARY SUPPORT FACILITY SOUTH OF ROUTE 110 IS DIVIDED INTO 2 AREAS -- IT IS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE NAM KONG (RIVER) AT 1437N 10643E AND ON BOTH SIDES OF THE DAK KOUAI (RIVER) AT 1435N 10642E. THE FIRST AREA, ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE NAM KONG AT XB858172, CONSISTS OF ROW CROPPING AND 4 DISPERSED BUILDINGS. AT LEAST 15 WELL DISPERSED BUILDINGS AND HEAVY TRAIL ACTIVITY ARE OBSERVED ACROSS THE RIVER. THE SECOND AREA, ON BOTH SIDES OF THE DAK KOUAI AT XB845141 AND

XB844141, CONSISTS OF ROW CROPPING AND 7 EXPOSED BUILDINGS
ASSOCIATED WITH ADJACENT SLASH-AND-BURN AGRICULTURE.

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ITEM 13: PROB MILITARY SUPPORT AREA SGM:110A CTY:LA 143700N 106390E
DES:A PROBABLE MILITARY SUPPORT FACILITY IS OBSERVED ON THE SOUTH
SIDE OF ROUTE 110 AT 1437N 10639E. A SMALL UNNAMED VILLAGE ADJACENT
TO ROUTE 110 AT XB790167 APPEARS TO BE PARTIALLY MAINTAINED. TWO
POSSIBLE BUILDINGS ARE LOCATED IN A STREAM RAVINE AT XB793163,
AND 3 POSSIBLE BUILDINGS ARE AT XB796161. A PROBABLE BIVOUAC AREA
IS LOCATED AT XB792161. AREA DEFENSES INCLUDE A 4-POSITION A/W
SITE (3 POSITIONS POSSIBLE OCCUPIED) AT XB792164, TWO PROBABLE
PERSONNEL TRENCHES WITH AN A/W POSITION, AND AT LEAST 6
FOXHOLES.

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PART II. OTHER PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS - NONE.

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